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**PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Missing Parts mailed April 1, 2002, said period of response being extended from June 1, 2002 to July 1, 2002.

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee.  
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